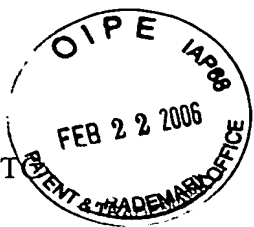


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SERIAL NO: 10/611,847 :
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SIR:

Now comes Takayuki Tomisaki and Manabu Tanaka, who depose and state that:

1. We are the inventors of the invention disclosed in the above-identified application.
2. We are co-inventors of the invention disclosed in United States Patent No.

6,696,687.

3. We declare that we conceived the subject matter disclosed in United States Patent No. 6,696,687 that is common to United States Patent Application No. 10/611,847.

4. We declare further that all statements made of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

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5. Further Declarants saith not.

Takayuki Tomisaki

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February 3, 2006

Date

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